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CAMP NEWS

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SPECIAL PASSES FOR THE LADIES

The chaplains' training school, which has among its number 103 Catholic priests, is nearing a close, much to the delight of all in training, as the routine is very hard on the chaplains who are not used to much outdoor work. The school will graduate in about ten days. There are several Louisville priests in the class, which is the largest that has been in training here since the war began.

Friday night the Quartermaster's band from Jeffersonville gave their second delightful concert at building No. 2 for the colored soldiers. They were encored again and again and played for almost two hours. This band is a great treat for the men at Camp Zachary Taylor and the soldiers are always asking "When is that colored band coming again?" The three colored Secretaries in charge of building No. 2 have made a great many friends among their colored brethren and certainly have added to the work of the Knights of Columbus here. It is impossible to get in their building any night during an entertainment, and on Saturday and Sunday the visitors throng the place.

The Liberty League, which is composed of the employees of the L. & N. railroad shops, held a celebration at the camp Sunday afternoon, where they were addressed by Gov. Stanley, Ben S. Washer, President of the Y. M. H. A., Secretary Bruner, of the Y. M. C. A., and Chaplain Regis Barrett, of the Knights of Columbus. The affair was held in the big auditorium of the "Y," and was filled to its capacity. The league was met at the entrance to the camp by the Depot Brigade Band and paraded up Lincoln avenue to the auditorium. Gov. Stanley and the other speakers were given most enthusiastic reception, and from a patriotic standpoint the affair was one of the finest that has been held at the camp.

Rev. Father Murray, of Campbellsville, formerly a chaplain of Mackinac Island, Mich., and very well known in our city, has been appointed chaplain to take charge of the Knights of Columbus building No. 3. Father Murray is a very agreeable priest and makes the soldiers feel that they can talk to him just the same as if he was one of them. He is more than welcome at this time, as he is the only chaplain not engaged in other work than that of the Knights of Columbus, and he will have charge of the work of the hospital.

Moving pictures were shown at all of the Knights of Columbus buildings three nights during the past week, and the crowded houses show that this is the king of indoor sports at present.

The base hospital at the present time has many soldiers incapacitated for duty, although there are very few who are seriously ill. Two K. C. Secretaries and a chaplain visit them every day, administering to their wants and writing letters back to their folks at home. This is a splendid opening for ladies of the city who have the time to visit these men who are confined on account of illness.

On last Sunday there were twenty-seven masses celebrated at the camp, this being a smaller number than the week previous, which was caused by the tent, No. 6, being closed on account of quarantine. Two weddings were celebrated during the past week, one at the auditorium and one at building No. 5. The altar for the occasion of the wedding at building No. 5 was beautifully decorated with flowers and palms by the ladies who have charge of the sanctuary at this building.

During the week Major Ewald issued an order that no ladies could remain in the camp after 5:30 without special passes issued from his office. He very kindly extended the privilege of signing these passes to two of the Knights of Columbus Secretaries, and in the future it will be necessary for all ladies doing work at the camp to have this special salmon colored pass.

Major Elarh, who is acting as Chief of Staff at Camp Zachary Taylor, has been promoted to Lieutenant Colonel and has been receiving the congratulations of his many friends.

Secretary Leyden, of the K. C. auditorium, acted as timekeeper at the great athletic meet which was held at Churchill Downs on Labor day. Secretary Leyden is an old hand at this business, having come from the city of Philadelphia, where he spent most of his time in athletic work among the Catholic organizations of that big city.

Secretary Connell arrived during the week from Camp Jackson with a troop train and is spending several days with the local Secretaries. There is a great demand at the camp for new magazines and the same, for which they

have no use, would greatly favor collectors by sending them to the Knights of Columbus building, 316 South Fourth street, where they will be collected and then delivered to the camp.

Thomas Convey, a Canadian soldier, has entered the service of the Knights of Columbus at Camp Zachary Taylor. Secretary Convey has seen much actual service in France and was sent to this country after being wounded several times. He will have charge of building No. 5, Poplar Level road and Hoss lane, for a short while, as it is his intention to go back to the trenches in the Knights of Columbus work in the near future.

MOURNS FOR PASTOR.

Every member of St. Francis of Rome congregation, as well as the priests and laity of the diocese of Louisville, irrespectively of parish, or nationality, deeply deplore the death of the Rev. Thomas W. White, resulting from Bright's disease. Father White was born in County Kilkenny, Ireland, sixty years ago, and coming to Kentucky in his youth he entered Bardstown College, from where he graduated with the class of 1878. His studies for the priesthood were completed at Preston Park Seminary and in 1881 he was ordained by Bishop McCloskey in the Louisville Cathedral. Father White then served on missions in Casey county for three years and then taught at St. Joseph's College until he was transferred to St. John's church as assistant to the late Father Bax, but only for a short time, as Bishop McCloskey selected him for the charge of the new St. Francis of Rome congregation, where he has been the zealous and untiring pastor for thirty-two years and succeeded in building up a large membership. Father White was a true priest and a zealous and conscientious worker and friend to all. Truly it may be said of him that his simplicity of manner, his sincere faith, his loyalty to his friends and his appreciation for the country of his adoption combined to make him a priest that all who knew him were impelled to love, honor and respect him. His funeral was held Tuesday morning at St. Francis of Rome church, and the immense gathering of sorrowing people testified to the sincere affection for the deceased priest. Rev. Richard Davin, chaplain at Nazareth, preached the funeral sermon, in which he paid just tribute to the life and worth of the priest who had been the true friend of all present.

Father White named Rev. Patrick Walsh, of Sacred Heart church, as his executor. Having been a generous donor to the poor and all calls for charity his estate will be, in the case of most priests, of only small proportions.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS.

Louisville Council, Knights of Columbus, had a rousing meeting last week, when interest centered in the annual election of officers. In recognition of his good work and the success of his administration during the past year, Grand Knight Thomas D. Cline was the unanimous choice for another term. The officers elected to serve during the coming year are:

Grand Knight—Thomas D. Cline.
Deputy Grand Knight—George N. Bohan.
Chancellor—John A. Doyle.
Recording Secretary—Edward S. Etheridge.
Financial Secretary—S. R. Hardman.

Varden—J. Raymond Barrett.
Inside Guard—Ben Middendorf.
Outside Guard—John Riley.
Trustee—Thomas A. Bohan.
The Lecturer, Reverend Chaplain and Advocate are appointed by the Grand Knight. The new officers will be installed next month.

Next Sunday Louisville Council will have another initiation, making a record that surpasses all former years.

PRAYERS FOR CARDINAL.

Prayers for the recovery of Cardinal Farley were said not alone in Catholic churches on Sunday but in the Cathedral of St. John the Divine and at Trinity and other Protestant Episcopal churches in New York City. In not all of them, however, was the name of the Cardinal mentioned. It was the first time in the history of the Cathedral of St. John the Divine that a reference to the Cardinal Archbishop of the Catholic church had occurred in its service, and the same was said to have been true of Trinity. Dean Robbins was the preacher at the Cathedral, and Prof. Leicester C. Lewis, of Western Theological Seminary, Chicago, occupied the pulpit at Trinity. The prayers were the usual ones which the Episcopal Book of Common Prayer designates as prayers for the sick. Bishop David H. Greer, of the Episcopal diocese of New York, and Cardinal Farley have long been friends. The Bishop sent word from his summer home in Maine that it was his wish that prayers be said for the Cardinal. His Eminence continues to gain strength steadily and his recovery is looked for by his physicians.

NEXT LIBERTY LOAN.

The Treasury Department has determined after careful consideration that it will not provide any plan for disposing of the Fourth Liberty loan bonds on the installment plan, other than the usual plan of previous loans. This information was conveyed to Chairman William R. Chapman, of the Liberty loan organization, of the Eleventh Federal Reserve district. In a telegram from Lewis B. Franklin, Director of War Loans. The plan as heretofore will consist of initial payment and three subsequent payments about one

month apart. Director Franklin requests Chairman Chapman to advise the local committees at once of the decision reached.

RED LETTER DAY.

Last Sunday was a red letter day for St. William's church, Thirteenth and Oak, and undoubtedly the impressiveness of the ceremony will linger long in the memory of the attending hundreds who witnessed the inspiring and dedicated service of the church. The devotion to its fifty-six absent boys following the colors. Owing to the illness of Rev. George Connor, the pastor of St. William's, the services were in charge of Father Kelly and Father Walsh, of Hartford, Conn., who are attending the chaplains' training school at Camp Zachary Taylor. The flag was unfurled outside the church and then carried in and blessed, patriotic songs being rendered by the school children. The address was delivered by Rev. Father Ignatius Fealy, dean of the Catholic chaplains in the training school at Camp Taylor. Father Fealy's patriotic utterances made a deep impression upon his hearers, and he also paid a touching tribute to the memory of James Lyons, the brave youth who gave up his life in France and was represented by the one gold star. Those represented by the blue stars are: Asker Bartholomew, Robert Bartholomew, Philip Broderick, Clifford Bronger, Ralph Bronger, Patrick Byrnes, Thomas A. Callahan, John Carroll, Keren Caster, Robert Caster, Claude Coligan, James Coligan, Paul Coligan, Frank Clasky, John Clasky, Leo Coyle, Archie Curran, Louis Dietz, George Edelen, William Elkind, George Marion Gihney, J. Joseph Patrick Gannon, John Glick, Elmer Harris, Richard Haupt, Edward Henry, George Henry, Robert Henry, Thomas Henry, Adam Hillerich, George Keniff, Louis Keniff, James Liston, James Lyons, Lawrence Edward Miller, John Monique, Richard Monahan, William Monahan, Thomas Naughton, Edward Lee O'Brien, John William O'Brien, Denis O'Hearn, James O'Hearn, Daniel Joseph O'Keefe, William O'Keefe, Sherman Pardue, John Ryan, Leo Ryan, Michael Ryan, Henry Schneider, William Schneider, Arthur Silber, Joseph Traeger, Chris Voelker, John Voelker, Leo Voelker, Paul Voelker.

ST. PATRICK'S.

The Forty Hours' Devotion will open tomorrow morning at St. Patrick's church, Thirteenth and Market, with solemn high mass at 10:30 o'clock. The pastor will be assisted on this occasion by three reverend fathers from the chaplains' training school at Camp Zachary Taylor. These are the Rev. Francis Martin, who went to the school from St. Patrick's; the Rev. Edward Loehr, of New York City, and the Rev. Joseph O'Neill, of St. Paul, Minn. One of these will also preach the sermon. During the procession of the Blessed Sacrament four of the soldiers, members of St. Patrick's, will carry the canopy. These latter are boys who have grown up in St. Patrick's parish, and trained in the practices of the church, where everything breathes of loyalty to God and loyalty to country. Over 100 of St. Patrick's boys have joined the colors. They are scattered far and near. Some are already "over there" in the forefront of the battle for freedom, and the Forty Hours this year will be a petition to the Heavenly Father to bless the noble aims of our President and country with an early victory, an honorable peace and send our boys safe home again.

KNIGHTS INITIATE.

Sixty new members were initiated at the Knights of Columbus Hall on Fourth street Sunday afternoon among them five chaplains from the training school at Camp Zachary Taylor. Following the meeting there was a banquet at the Tyler Hotel, at which 200 were present. The principal speakers were: Thomas Walsh, John McCarthy and Thomas Conway, a veteran of the Somme and Vimy Ridge.

IN HOSPITAL OVER THERE.

Sergeant Sherley Cuniff, of the Road Engineers, who has been in France since May, is reported in the hospital, but his friends and family have not been able to find out whether he is ill or wounded. Postmaster letters received last week from him are of the breezy kind, so our jolly Sergeant is evidently not worried.

SPEAKS AT ATLANTA.

The annual convention of the Catholic Laymen's Association of Georgia, which was held in Atlanta last Sunday, and at which officers for the year were elected, was featured by a talk by Col. P. H. Callahan, of Louisville, in which he discussed the supreme duties of laymen in this day of conflict and in the days to come when war will be over.

WORTHY CHARITY.

A euche and lotto will be given at the Tyler Hotel on Wednesday afternoon and evening, September 25, for the benefit of the Visitation Home for working girls. Sister Mary Gertrude and her associates are doing a worthy and noble work and the Catholics of Louisville should lend them every aid.

YOU'RE WELCOME, BILL.

Will Hanrahan, a well known Louisville boy located at Charleston, S. C., writes that he enjoys reading about the funny Keystone police which Louisville is just now afflicted with and says he hopes to come home this fall to vote for his good friend Sam Robinson for City Treasurer. Come on along, Bill.

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From Crescent Hill to Portland and from the river to South Louisville comes increasing applications for the "Never Again Club." The members are those who through blame or for a change possible were beguiled into voting for Smith and the Bolshevik administration, now in control at Sixth and Jefferson. Go where you will, day and night, you will meet the constantly growing army of self-kickers who are sore at themselves for getting away from the Democratic ticket last fall, and they will all acknowledge that there should have been no reason for their mistake when past history shows that the Republicans are a rank failure in governing Louisville and Jefferson county. Republican Mayor Todd's administration, the first of its kind, was noted for two years of turmoil and the Big Seven in the Board of Aldermen who tried to carry away the City Hall. The next was Mayor Grinstead, and his administration was featured by the rogues and thieves between the Barrett-Richardson factions, coupled with the performance of the Cossack police captains, Foster and Luschinger, who inaugurated a reign of terror. Now comes the third and last, and it is hoped that Mayor Smith and his mixture of old and new Republicans, Bull Moose Republicans and renegade Democrats will promise to break all records for inefficiency and rank failure in the handling of the city and county government.

Although receiving more money than any other previous administration, including \$190,000 from the Water Company, the near Mayor is now borrowing money to run the city and give no promise of a lower tax rate, while many report higher assessments. With all the money the

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STANLEY FOR SENATOR.

Now that Gov. Stanley has received the nomination for United States Senator, Louisville and Jefferson county will, of course, contribute to the State's vote more than their mathematical share toward his election. Gov. Stanley has been the hearty supporter of President Wilson and of the important war legislation enacted in Washington and Frankfort. This is the decisive test, and it will be satisfactory to every voter whose mind is open to conviction. Some thoughtless persons view this high office as if the functions attached to it were purely honorary, but such is not the case. The duties performed by a United States Senator are manifold and important, never more so than at the present time. Gov. Stanley has had long experience in public life, and in his membership of committees and commissions charged with grave responsibilities and requiring a strong intellectual grasp of both State and national affairs he always measured up to the requirements of his post. The people of our State are in a position to judge how faithfully and thoroughly he has discharged his varied trusts by the efficiency of his service both in Congress and as the Chief Executive of Kentucky. It is simple fairness to say that Gov. Stanley's eligibility for his party's favor must be judged by his official record. At every point, and in every detail, that record is praiseworthy. Were it otherwise the Kentucky Irish American would not be found recommending him to the good will of the Republican voters among its readers. And this same applies to Congressman swager Sherley, Judge Thomas R. Gordon, Samuel Robertson and the entire Democratic ticket.

RELIGION AND RULERS.

Arthur Brisbane, the famous editor of the New York American, pays the following tribute to the Catholic church and points out the fact that our system of choosing Presidents is derived from the Catholic church's method of selecting Popes:

Religions and rulers have risen and fallen. The Catholic church has gone on, powerful, from century to century. Empires and kingdoms, great families and dynasties arose and disappeared. Their control was left to the accident of birth. If the first-born male was a fool or a weakling that meant destruction. The Catholic church never left leadership to chance. Not any first-born, but the ablest was elected. He was chosen by a body of well trained men, interested in securing the ablest as leader. The method of electing Popes interests Americans because it is the method—it may be called intellectual democracy—favored by those that founded this republic. Our forefathers had no intention of allowing every man to vote for an individual President. The plan, now in the constitution, although disregarded in practice, was to have the masses choose superior men as "electors" and leave the choice of President to that superior body, as the Catholic church leaves the selection of Pope to the College of Cardinals.

RAISING FALSE HOPES.

The advance of the Allies on the west front goes steadily forward. It seems to be Poch's plan to give the retreating Germans no rest, but to harass them at different points so as to prevent the concentration of reserves. Dispatches indicate that the old Hindenburg line had been pierced at one point with the likelihood that the whole line would be rendered untenable as a permanent shelter for the defeated foe. On the greater part of the battle front, however, the enemy has not yet reached this line. It will be a matter of days, or perhaps of weeks, before it can be retorted whether the present retreat will be continued to lines near the French border.

There is a tendency to exaggeration in our American papers, the True Voice notes, which may build up false hopes in our people only to have these hopes dashed later on. The German retreat is not yet a rout, and we must recognize that on the defensive the enemy is still powerful. The victory won by the Allies in turning back the great offensive of the German army and forcing a costly retreat over the ground gained in the great rushes a few months ago is reason enough for rejoicing without arousing baseless expectations. We have only escaped from a great danger and

made comparatively secure our vital positions in France thus far. The work of driving the Germans back beyond their own borders and forcing a victorious peace is still ahead of us. Ultimate victory is now certain. But we must not expect it in a few weeks or a few months. The battles of the past few weeks are only the prelude to the great drive that will be launched later on. It is very doubtful whether that drive can be started this year. If the enemy can be driven from the Hindenburg line this fall and forced to fall back to another line of defense that is the most that should be expected of our soldiers this year. They have already accomplished much more than we had a right to expect of them two months ago. Let us back up the effort that is being made to bring victory. But let us not expect it to come at once. We must be patient yet a while.

DANGER TO INDUSTRY.

Much broader grounds for the establishment of claims for exemption from military service are provided in new regulations worked out by Provost Marshal General Crowder to govern the classification of men between eighteen and forty-five, who registered on September 12.

Important modifications are based upon the change of a few words in the original draft law made in passing the new man-power act. The term "industrial occupation" is eliminated and the law now provides persons may be given deferred classification when engaged "in occupation or employment, including agriculture, which can be established as necessary to the military establishment or the maintenance of the national interest."

There was need for some modification of the law in regard to those engaged in important industries. Director General Schwab, of the Emergency Fleet Corporation, was compelled to protest against the drawing away of his skilled men for the army—men who could not be replaced easily by unskilled workers. There was danger of crippling the whole ship programme by the action of injudicious draft boards.

The new law still leaves much power in the hands of district exemption boards. That power should be exercised fairly and with sound judgment. There are industries upon which the successful prosecution of the war depends, and to deplete them of man-power—even for the army—would be disastrous. Already we begin to hear complaint that in some sections farmers are being drawn upon too closely to insure full crop production next year. These things should be looked to in time, and a uniform system adopted that will let no "slacker" escape, while safeguarding industries that are vital to the war. If everything is left to be decided by exemption boards there will be as many systems as there are boards. Gen. Crowder should be as specific as possible for the benefit of the country. And draft boards should use the discretion reposed in them very carefully so as not to cripple our war work at home.

COME AGAIN, MR. OGDEN.

At the State convention of the Junior Order of United American Mechanics this past week Dr. Bruner, the Republican nominee for Senator, and Mr. Ogden, the nominee for Congress, were present as members of that order. Mr. Ogden in an address laid stress on what a grand old American order the society was, but failed to explain why members of our Allies now fighting with us are barred from membership or why, the Junior Order summons candidates for the Board of Education and asks them if they would vote for a Catholic school teacher if elected. Our columns are open for Mr. Ogden's explanation.

RATION THE GASOLINE.

With all due respect to the Fuel Administration, the discontinuance of automobile riding on Sunday seems to be a little unfair to the workman, who has only that day for pleasure riding, while it works no hardship on the rich man who can go any old day in the week. The feasible plan would be to ration the gasoline just like we do sugar.

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COMING EVENTS.

September 25—Euchre and lotto for benefit of Visitation Home at Tyler Hotel, afternoon and evening.
September 27—Euchre and lotto of St. Louis Bertrand's church in Bertrand Hall, afternoon and evening.
October 23—Catholic Knights' reunion and card and lotto party, St. Martin's Hall.

SOCIETY.

Misses Mimmie and Gussie Cerasola are visiting friends in Memphis and Vicksburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pooley have returned from a visit to relatives in Missouri.

Miss Alice Harrigan was the week end guest of Miss Rose Oechell at St. Matthews.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Stigers, of Portland, are home from a delightful visit at Mayfield.

Miss Josephine Shelley has returned from Cincinnati, where she attended a house party.

Mrs. Will Eisenmenger has been entertaining her sister, Mrs. Clyde Brady, of Jacksonville, Fla.

Miss Anna O'Connor has returned to Bowling Green after a visit to Mrs. Frank Smith, Park View.

Mrs. Thomas Boone spent the past week at New Haven, visiting her mother, Mrs. Mary A. Bowling.

Mrs. James Conlan, of Jeffersonville, had as her guest the past week Mrs. Mollie Conlan, of Indianapolis.

Harry T. Colgan, who has been located in the South the past few months, was here on a visit this week.

Mr. and Mrs. August Muthman and Miss Margaret T. Daley have returned from a visit to West Baden Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Keller, Stratton addition, entertained last week for Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Heverin and Miss Rose Heverin.

Mrs. Fred Erhart gave a merry children's party at her home on Sherwood avenue last week. There were twenty-two guests.

Miss Helen Hayes, who has been visiting Misses Ina and Evelyn Kelly, Deer Park, has returned to her home in Owensboro.

Miss Agnes Kelly has returned from from Hawesville, after spending the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Kelly.

Misses Blanche Mitchell has returned from Hay View, Mich., and will soon reopen her dancing classes for the coming season.

Misses Margie and Mary Moriarty have returned after spending several weeks with friends and relatives in St. Louis and Panama, Ill.

Walter M. Higgins, of Chattanooga, arrived here Thursday morning for a week-end visit to Mr. and Mrs. William M. Higgins, 732 South Twenty-fourth street.

Mrs. William Clifford, of Chicago, is the guest of Miss Jessie Bannon during the absence of Miss Bannon's mother, Mrs. Jeff Bannon, who is visiting in Sydney, Neb.

Miss Edith Doherty, who has been seriously ill of typhoid fever at St. Edward's Hospital, is now convalescent and steadily improving at her home, East Fifth street, New Albany.

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Kremer announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Elizabeth Fehr Kremer, to Joseph B. O'Brien, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. O'Brien. The date for their marriage has not yet been set.

James S. McDonogh, who resigned his law practice in New York City to join the cavalry, is located at West Point with the contingent that was transferred there from Fort Riley.

The many friends of Mike Burke, the well known Democratic politician and all around good fellow, will be glad to hear that he is improving and hopes to be out in the near future.

JOINT DRIVE.

President Wilson last week decided that the seven recognized societies doing welfare work among the American soldiers at home and overseas shall conduct a joint campaign for the funds necessary to carry on their work during the coming year. The President's decision was communicated to Chairman Raymond D. Fosdick, of the Commission on Training Camp Activities, who in making public the President's letter Wednesday night announced that the campaign would be conducted during the week beginning November 11, and that the American people would be asked to give \$170,500,000 to the organizations. The budget is divided as follows:

Y. M. C. A., \$100,000,000.
Y. W. C. A., \$15,000,000.
National Catholic War Council (including work of Knights of Columbus and special war activities of women), \$30,000,000.
Jewish Welfare Board, \$3,500,000.
American Library Association, \$3,500,000.
War Camp Community Service, \$15,000,000.
Salvation Army, \$3,500,000.
The joint drive avoids many difficulties and makes for united effort for the good of the soldiers.

FIFTH LARGE CLASS.

Great preparations are being made by the local Knights of Columbus for the initiation of new members into Louisville Council on Sunday, September 22. This will make the fifth large class initiated into the order here this year.



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PHIL J. BRODERICK.

Phil J. Broderick, whose likeness appears in this article, is one of the first of the Louisville boys to



go overseas, being in France since last November. He is a member of the 164th Infantry, which was located in England for a while, and is now being transferred to the front. He is a son of Mrs. Mary Broderick, of 1006 Zane street.

RECENT DEATHS.

Monday morning the last solemn rites were said over the remains of Peter Exner, beloved husband of Emma Exner and a highly esteemed member of St. Martin's church, who had long resided at 821 East Madison street. He had a wide acquaintance and many relatives mourn his death.

Mrs. Mary O'Neill, aged forty-eight, passed away Wednesday morning at St. Anthony's Hospital, not being able to stand the shock of an operation following a stroke of apoplexy. She was the beloved wife of Charles J. O'Neill, 304 North Eighteenth street, and besides her husband leaves two children. The funeral took place yesterday morning with interment in St. Louis cemetery.

Monday afternoon Patrick Mur-

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ray, an old and respected resident of the West End, succumbed to Bright's disease at his home, 2126 West Main street. Born in Ireland seventy-four years ago, the greater part of his life had been spent in this city. He is survived by three daughters, Mrs. Martin Daly, Mrs. James Titts and Mrs. Alex. Arnold; a son, Thomas A. Murray. Funeral services and requiem mass were held Wednesday morning at St. Cecilia's church.

The death of Mrs. Bridget Monahan, aged seventy, on Monday afternoon at her home, 316 West Magnolia avenue, is the third in her family within the past four months. Her husband, Patrick Monahan, died May 21, and William Monahan, a son, was the victim of a German bullet in France on June 17. Surviving her are two daughters, Miss Agnes Monahan and Mrs. Caskey, and a son, James Monahan. The funeral was held Wednesday morning at St. Philip Neri church.

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	\$331,139.00	\$188,313.00

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HIBERNIANS.

What They Have Been Doing the Past Week—General News Notes.

Division 3 will meet next Friday evening.

Division 4 is preparing to change its quarters, their present hall being needed for school purposes.

Stella President Miss Lula Murphy, of Covington, was here this week on a visit to the Ladies' Auxiliary.

"One Liberty bond in the hand of each member" is the slogan of the Ladies' Auxiliary for the coming campaign.

Edmund J. Rice, President of Division 34, is the Democratic nominee for Judge of the Municipal Court in Chicago.

Mrs. Mary Arthur, of Indianapolis, addressed the Ladies' Auxiliary Tuesday evening on the subject of funeral insurance.

Dave Reilly is enjoying his annual vacation by taking in the chicken shows at the State Fair. The real chickens, he says.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of Omaha gave a picnic complimentary to the selected men of the High School. More than 100 men attended the supper.

John M. Riley, President of Division 3, says he has another reason why Uncle Sam won't draft him. The reason is a little girl just two weeks old.

The National Board of the Ladies' Auxiliary has unanimously agreed that "commencing with October 1, 1918, we create in our national treasury a national funeral benefit fund. The fund is to be started on the volunteer plan and the co-operation of every member is sought to make this possible. Each President is asked to enroll as many members of her division as she possibly can in this funeral benefit fund. The requirements for membership are each member will be required to make a contribution of \$4 to the fund, the amount to be paid on the death of a member to be \$250." All who are now members, regardless of age, will have the privilege of joining without medical examination until October 1.

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